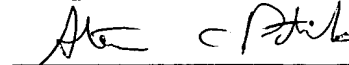


REMARKS

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated 9/30/04, the applicant's elect Group 1 claims 1-21, and withdraw Group 2 claims 22-30, without prejudice.

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